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The Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: Docket No. AB-12 (Sub-No. 184-X); Abandonment Exemption—Wendel-Alturas Line in Modoc and Lassen Counties, CA

Dear Secretary Williams:

This refers to the February 16, 2007 letter submitted by the Bureau of Land Management requesting an extension of the trail use negotiation period in the above-referenced matter.

Union Pacific Railroad Company ("UP") does not agree to the requested six-month extension of the negotiation period. UP will, however, agree to extend negotiations for a period of up to three months, until June 3, 2007.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gabriel S. Meyer

cc: Mike Sattler (UP)
Timothy J. Burke (BLM)